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In re application of :  
Nobuyuki MASUMURA et al. : **Mail Stop: PCT**  
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TAPE-SHAPED MOLDING AND BELT  
FOR BALL CHAIN  
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Pursuant to the requirement contained in the Office Action mailed June 23, 2006,  
applicants hereby elect invention Group II, claims 4-7 and 11-12, drawn to a belt.

In view of this election, a full examination on the merits of the present application is  
respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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